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Science and Detective Work Combined in New Forensics Program



Representatives of Saint Mary's and the RCMP. (L-R) Saint Mary's President, Dr. J. Colin Dodds; Lee Fraser, RCMP Superintendent, Officer of Forensic Identification Services, Ottawa; Robert Goulet RCMP Assistant Commissioner, Ottawa; and Dr. Doug Strongman, forensics program coordinator.

by Paul Fitzgerald

Saint Mary's and the Royal Canadian Mounted Police (RCMP) signed a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) for a new Forensic Science Diploma Program – a first of its kind in Canada, on October 3 at the University. Saint Mary's is the first post-secondary

institution to focus on the science of forensic investigations rather than simply teaching evidence gathering techniques.

"The real emphasis with this program is to focus on science," says Dr. Doug Strongman, a Saint Mary's biology professor and coordinator of the program. "In Canada, police forces are regularly involved in forensic investigations," he adds.

"There are others like medical personnel, dentists, biologists, criminologists and anthropologists who are interested in or can benefit from training in forensic sciences."

There are 25 students, including a number of RCMP officers now enrolled in the program, who are learning how to extract clues from crime scenes. The program is designed to give students and police officers a strong grounding in different science disciplines such as biology, chemistry, and physics that form the techniques used in forensic investigations. "Criminal investigation is getting more and more complicated," says RCMP Assistant Commissioner Robert Goulet, who heads up the force's identification services branch in Ottawa. "Just 30 years ago,

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Computer Programming Team Wins APICS for a Second Year

A team of computing science students from Saint Mary's have won the Atlantic Provinces Interuniversity Council on the Sciences (APICS) Programming Competition held at Dalhousie University for the second year in a row.

The team now has its sights set on the Northeastern Regional Finals which will be held in Westfield, Massachusetts this month. There they will pit their skills against students from some of the best universities in northeastern North



Saint Mary's champion computer programming team and winners of the APICS competition (L-R) Steven Perron, Cedric Davies and Jonathan Sharkey. The trio is now preparing to take on the best teams in the northeastern North America.

America including MIT, Harvard and Brown.

Saint Mary's students

Cedric Davies, Steven Perron and Jonathan Sharkey

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Special Times Supplement in Celebration of the Installation of Saint Mary's 33rd President, Dr. J. Colin Dodds.



Saint Mary's Students Embark on Shakespearean Experience

by Lisa Legatto

This spring, Saint Mary's will be the first Canadian university to enroll students in a short course at Stratford-upon-Avon, England as part of a new English class. Students will have a unique opportunity to experience Shakespearean theatre at its best, be exposed to academic interpretation by leading scholars and have a behind the scenes look at everything from the roles of speech coaches to costume designers.

The exciting new summer school course, Shakespeare at Stratford-upon-Avon – Theatre and Text is being offered through Saint Mary's Division of Continuing Education. English 401.1, a half credit course, will be led by Dr. Goran Stanivukovic and

Dr. Janet Hill, professors in Saint Mary's English Department. They were motivated to create the innovative course by their shared interests in Shakespeare and theatre. Dr. Hill was an actress in England before she became an academic. She now teaches the history of drama at Saint Mary's. Dr. Stanivukovic, studied at the Shakespeare Institute in Stratford-upon-Avon, which is a graduate school specializing in Renaissance drama and Shakespeare, affiliated with the University of Birmingham.

"Over several years of my studying and living in Stratford, I saw many students groups from the European Union and United States participate in those courses, and I remember students' enthusiasm," says Dr. Stanivukovic. "They all seemed to have been



thrilled by the diversity of activities focused on theatre, the plays' ideas and play productions." He and Dr. Hill decided that this kind of class would add a dynamic dimension to teaching Shakespeare at Saint Mary's.

The three week course will begin in May with a full week

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Nick Malone, Dip.Eng., Emma Hawker, B.Sc., and Jennifer Prescott, Dip.Eng. were among the over 300 students who were conferred degrees from Saint Mary's University at the Fall Convocation Ceremony.

For more convocation coverage see the special Times supplement.



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Director of International Activities Honoured for Leadership

Denis Leclaire, Director of the International Activities Department at Saint Mary's, has received the first ever Internationalization Leadership Award from the Canadian Bureau for International Education (CBIE).

"I am honoured to receive the Internationalization Leadership Award," says Leclaire. "I do, however, think that the award should actually go to Saint Mary's as a whole, given the support shown by the President's Office and other University offices to internationalization and to international development."

CBIE Board Member Catherine Vetesi chaired the committee responsible for the development of the awards program. She says that Leclaire demonstrates leadership,



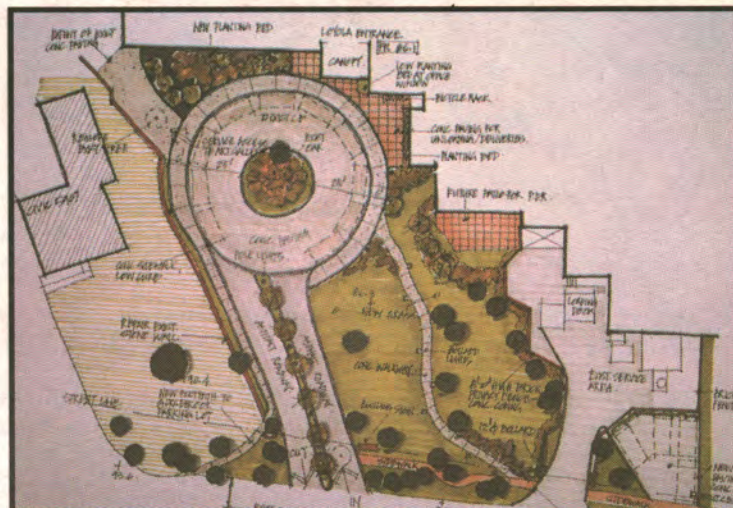
Denis Leclaire, Director of International Activities

innovation as well as a personal and professional commitment to international education. He has played a

crucial role in the internationalization of Saint Mary's and his community. "We thought long and hard about how we could truly honour the many dedicated and inspirational leaders we have in our communities," says Vetesi. "Canadians can be proud of our expertise and when you look at the first cohort of award winners, you have to be impressed."

Saint Mary's has a long tradition of international focus. The international student body is made up of students from over 100 countries from around the world. Saint Mary's has also gained prominence through linkages with universities, colleges and government agencies around the world, including The Gambia, China, Japan, Malaysia, Hong Kong, Thailand, Singapore, Vietnam, Cambodia, and Mexico. ♦

Loyola-Vanier Renovation Update



The plans for the new entrance to the renovated Loyola building were recently introduced. The driveway itself will make students' annual moves in and out of residence easier. The area surrounding the entrance will be landscaped and surrounded by planting beds, shrubs and trees. Work on the entrance will begin in the new year.

Commerce Student Joins Junior Team Canada

Last summer, first year commerce student, David Gordon was one of three Nova Scotian students chosen to participate in Globalvision's Junior Team Canada mission to Southeast Asia.

Gordon was introduced to Globalvision, a non-profit organization created in 1991 that organizes the Junior Team Canada missions, at a global business training camp that was held at Saint Mary's. He was one of 50 students chosen from over 500 applicants. The project itself was designed by business, government and industry leaders to introduce students to global business and international relations, and give them experience in dealing directly with foreign markets.

In order to participate, Gordon had to raise \$3000 from local sponsors in only three weeks to pay for the costs of the mission. He says, "I targeted companies with an overseas interest and with products that were geared towards sectors I was interested in representing."

Gordon was sponsored by seven companies including Infointeractive, a Bedford IT company, EnviroSystems and Oxford Frozen Foods. He had to learn as much as he could about them before he left. He spent a day at Oxford Frozen Foods in Oxford, Nova Scotia where he met with the director of marketing and international affairs. Gordon says, "I learned every possible fact about blueberries that I could in 10 hours."

The Junior Team Canada mission took Gordon to the Philippines for 2 and a half weeks. He then traveled to Singapore and Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia.

"I represented the companies and their concerns, whether that was meeting with companies that they had interests in doing business with or combining company operations," he says. "I made key contacts and returned with information to give my sponsors of possible business and buyers of their products."

This fall, Gordon will be making presentations to each of his sponsors. This month, he will meet with Nova Scotia Premier, Dr. John Hamm to discuss the provincial government's involvement with Globalvision.

Shakespearean Experience

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at Saint Mary's where students will delve into intensive study of the plays that they will be watching on three stages in Stratford through lectures and group discussions. The plays being performed by the Royal Shakespeare Company (RSC), considered the best theatre company in the world performing Shakespeare, will be announced after Christmas.

When the class arrives in England, they will be very familiar with the texts which they will see played out on stage by The RSC. The short course, organized by the Shakespeare Centre and the Royal Shakespeare Theatre will engage students in discussions with people involved in the productions including actors, directors, costume designers, speech instructors and other "off stage" staff. "They'll see backstage and so many things during a very intensive week," says Dr. Hill who visited the facilities this summer.

"They really will have a sense of living Shakespeare... I think they're going to feel very much a part of Stratford itself and the whole business."

Students will be involved in academic lectures led by lecturers from the Shakespeare Institute, which is a separate institution from the Shakespeare Centre where the class will be studying. They will also meet with scholars from other affiliates of the University of Birmingham. Dr. Hill says, "The workshops will be very hands on and interactive." Aside from the work which Dr. Stanivukovic says will continue from "morning until midnight when the curtain is down", the students will have an opportunity to visit several sights of interest such as Shakespeare's birthplace and London's Globe Theatre. When students return to Saint Mary's they will continue to their discussions and write about their experiences. The course is open to all students who qualify for English 401. Enrollment will be finalized at the end of the month.

"This course will provide the students with a memorable university experience," says Dr. Stanivukovic. "When they finish, they are likely to forget their drama classes held in our classrooms, but I doubt that the theatrical spectacles of the RSC are going to fade away so soon." ♦

The Office Next Door

Jean Barrie – Bringing It All Together

by Lisa Legatto

Jean Barrie's day usually begins at seven o'clock, it's a day that can easily be 12 hours long. As construction manager of the Loyola-Vanier renovations, Saint Mary's \$25 million dollar infrastructure project, she is responsible for ensuring that on-site activities run smoothly, continue on schedule and stay within the budget.

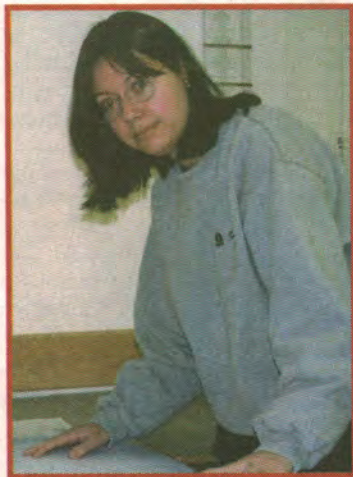
Barrie, a civil engineering graduate of TUNS now DalTech began the on-site work in the spring with her colleagues from Robert McAlpine Atlantic Limited. She is upbeat about the project. "The renovation of Loyola is progressing well and is on schedule and on budget."

This is no simple task. In order to keep things on target she must deal with mind boggling logistics and multitasking. Barrie says, "The daily activity is to monitor the work done by the trade contractors on-site, identify any issues that may have a schedule impact, and resolve those issues quickly so the schedule is not affected." It's the variety that she

likes best about her job. One minute she could be on the phone organizing trade contractors' schedules, another she could be on-site to assess the progress or making presentations in a boardroom.

"A lot of the job isn't necessarily just knowing something about dry-wall or something about brick," she says. "It's about trying to manage all the different personalities and interests that are involved in the project." This not only requires organization but an ability to deal with situations as they occur. "You have to have everything organized ahead of time but nothing ever goes exactly the way its planned." Barrie says that this means that she has to be ready to make a switch and try a different plan if necessary.

The Saint Mary's renovation project has presented unique challenges for her. "The university environment is different because there are a lot of different levels of communication here that you don't normally have on a construction project." The cladding replacement on the exterior



Jean Barrie, construction manager of the Loyola-Vanier renovation project.

of Loyola has required a huge schedule and has been a tremendous amount of work. A project on this scale is a major endeavour for everyone involved. For Barrie, it provides the kind of opportunities that she most enjoys. "It's interesting to go out and see other people doing their job and get the whole picture." ♦

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came in first out of 19 teams from universities across Atlantic Canada. "Our team competed against the best and brightest students from across the region," says Dr. Pawan Lingras, a computing science professor and one of the team's trainers. "We are all very proud that our team has taken home the region's top award for a second year in a row."

Team captain, Davies is already focused on the work ahead. "We have a great team, great coaches from the computing science faculty, and we are working extremely hard to win it all." The top teams from this competition will then advance to the World Championship in Vancouver, B.C. ♦



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Dr. Wagar Receives the 2000 AAU Distinguished Teacher Award

For a second time this year, Dr. Terry Wagar a professor in the Department of Management, is being recognized as an outstanding educator.

by Paul Fitzgerald

The Association of Atlantic Universities (AAU) has announced that Dr. Wagar is the recipient of the 2000 Distinguished Teacher Award.

The selection committee bases its decision on evi-

dence of knowledge of pedagogical methods, enthusiasm for teaching, capacity to arouse interest in the subject, promotion of high standards, effective communication, rapport with students, and innovative approaches to teaching. "I am extremely proud and honoured to receive this award," says Dr. Wagar. "I would like to thank the students whom I have taught during my time at Saint Mary's. They have made my teaching rewarding, challenging and most enjoyable."

"In working with Dr. Wagar on his nomination, I came to realize what the words distinguished teacher really mean," says Margaret-Anne Bennett, Director of Instructional Development at Saint Mary's. "The letters of support from his colleagues at

Saint Mary's, his international colleagues, the business community and, most especially, his students all spoke of their respect and admiration for him as a truly inspiring teacher and a brilliant researcher who brings his research into the classroom and the business community."

On October 7, Dr. Wagar was one of four faculty members from universities across Canada to receive the Leaders in Management Education Award. The Leaders in Management Education Awards, sponsored by the National Post, Price Waterhouse Coopers, and Bell Nexxia were awarded at a reception in Toronto. It is intended to identify and pay tribute to individual professors at Canadian university



Dr. Terry Wagar

schools of management who have demonstrated outstanding performance as classroom teachers, leadership in their professions and who, through their other professional activities, have helped to improve the practice of management in Canadian organizations. ♦

Dr. Bridglal Pachai – Member of the Order of Canada

On November 16, Dr. Bridglal Pachai will be inducted as member of the Order of Canada in recognition of his work in the promotion of issues surrounding the dignity and human rights of Canadians.

Dr. Pachai was the first full-time Director of the International Education Centre at Saint Mary's. An accomplished academic and educator, he has also held the positions of Executive Director of the Black Cultural Centre of Nova Scotia and Executive Director of the Nova Scotia Human Rights Commission. In 1994, he received an honorary

degree from Saint Mary's.

"It is very satisfying to have had the many opportunities that I have had to render service in the past 25 years and that it has resulted in recognition of this magnitude," says Dr. Pachai.

Today, Dr. Pachai is continuing with his academic writing and working on the second volume of his autobiography *My Africa, My Canada*. He is also President of the Celebrate Canada committee. Dr. Pachai says, "I will accept this award as a symbol of my commitment and care for Canada and all its people." ♦

Research News...

Saint Mary's Psychology Professor Challenges Emotional Intelligence



Dr. Arla Day

Intelligence, popularized the concept of EQ. "The developers of emotional intelligence claim that it is a better predictor of job and life success than other traditional predictors such as intelligence and cognitive ability."

What concerned Dr. Day was the lack of research involved in the development of EQ. "I decided to step in and see if those claims are true and right now I'm not finding a lot of hope."

Emotional intelligence is not something new. In the past, it was

tested them to see which one is right."

Her research was funded by a one-time Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada (SSHRC) institutional grant for new faculty. She looked at student work groups and whether their emotional intelligence was able to better predict their own work performance or contribution to the team. The results illustrated that overall, emotional intelligence was not associated

very appealing that people who have social smarts should be able to perform better, and we definitely need to study this area further."

With the assistance of graduate student Holly Livingstone, Dr. Day has recently tested different measures of emotional intelligence among military train-

ees in Ontario and Quebec. This research effort took on the central issue of whether individuals with higher emotional intelligence are better performers, and whether they are more satisfied with their lives and jobs. This is a question that Dr. Day, with the help of the data that will be released this fall, hopes that she will be able to answer. ♦

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referred to as social or practical intelligence. Today, there are dual definitions for EQ. The first labels EQ as non-cognitive capabilities, involving personality characteristics, such as how people tolerate stress, their empathy and degree of social responsibility. The other definition is ability based, similar to intelligence. It includes a person's ability to judge other people's moods, to understand and analyze one's own emotions, and to regulate them appropriately. Dr. Day says, "We've taken both of those definitions of EQ and

with student performance or prosocial behaviours such as sportsmanship and helping group members.

In another study conducted with her colleagues, EQ was unrelated to academic performance but was highly correlated with personality measures. "Our concern is that these measures are being used right now in organizations, but their use is premature until we have some indication that they are linked to job performance" Dr. Day says. "It's intuitively

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we investigated with fingerprints. Now we're looking at blood splats, DNA and other specialized issues."

RCMP Assistant Commissioner Dwight Bishop says the training and expertise gained through the program will help solve crimes. The local detachment, which has its own highly regarded forensic laboratory, has already called upon Saint Mary's professors to assist in a large number of investigations. "This program will only bring better knowledge to bear on our investigations," says Bishop.

Professors from different faculties at Saint Mary's will teach the program. They will receive ongoing input about the program from other groups with expertise in the field, such

as police officers and lab personnel from the RCMP, as well as other professionals with experience in forensic science. Dr. David Richardson, Dean of Science at Saint Mary's, says the interdisciplinary focus of the University's faculty and their willingness to collaborate with outside organizations such as the RCMP make Saint Mary's University an excellent site for developing the new diploma program. "Students I've spoken to are already excited about enrolling in the new diploma in forensic science," says Dr. Richardson. "Our forensic graduates will have the expertise needed by private and public organizations that investigate criminal activity." Plans are now underway to offer the program over the Web. ♦

by Lisa Legatto

Dr. Arla Day, a professor in the Psychology Department at Saint Mary's University has an interest in helping organizations select the best employees. When she began to see organizations using the popular concept of emotional intelligence, or EQ, as a selection tool, she had some seri-

ous questions to ask.

She describes her initial interest in EQ research as reactionary. "It was because everyone was talking about it. Organizations were using it and saying how EQ was going to solve all of their selection problems." Psychologists like Dan Goleman, author of the bestseller, *Emotional*

Scholarly & Professional Development

Economics

Dr. Mike Foster has been awarded a contract by the provincial government to develop an econometric forecast model for the Nova Scotia economy. Dr. Foster will be assisted by a team of economists that include: Dr. Saleh Amirkhalkhali, Saint Mary's University, Drs. G. Rao & L. MacLean, Dalhousie University and Dr. Ray Fair, Yale University.

International Development Studies

As a United Nations representative of the Women's International League for Peace and Freedom, Dr. Krishna Ahojja-Patel participated in the following conferences from May to August, 2000:

The United Nations Commission on Human Rights, Geneva, May-June, 2000; the Special Session of the United Nations General Assembly on Social Development (The Copenhagen Conference +5 Review - the Social Summit), Geneva, June, 2000; Racism, racial discrimination, xenophobia and related intolerances (preparatory Conference for the World Conference in South Africa, August, 2001), Berlin, July-August, 2000; UN sub-commission on the Status of Women on Beijing +5 Review, Geneva, August, 2000.

PhD Business Management

Three of the University's first PhD students, Gina Grandy, Caroline O'Connell and Elizabeth Kelley have had their paper "The Nature of Canadian Management Research: Preliminary Findings 1990 - 2000" accepted for presentation and publication in the proceedings at the annual meeting of the Atlantic Schools of Business, St. John's, Newfoundland.

TESL

Halifax hosted the TESL Canada 2000 conference *Changing Faces: Facing Change*, which was held September 28-30. Many Saint Mary's community members were involved in the planning and administration of this international gathering. Dr. J. Colin Dodds, President of Saint Mary's, welcomed participants from all over the world during the opening held at Pier 21. Faculty and staff of the TESL Centre presented a number of papers. Maureen Sargent and Diane Keevil Harrold presented "Internationalizing the Campus: A Case Study", William Kerr presented "To Be or Not Too Be? The Case for Grammar Correction in L2 Writing Classes", as well as "Is There Language After 50?" With Eve McDermott and Alison Boyer-Short. Norma MacSween, Eve McDermott, and Sandra Powell presented "Adapting to the ESL Classroom". Additionally, Sandra Powell presented "Learning Styles" at the National Learners' Conference held concurrently with the main conference.

In the News...

Chuck Bridges, External Affairs, was interviewed by ATV, *The Daily News* about Gerard Hall and the *Chronicle Herald* about changes that are being made to Huskies stadium.

Dr. J. Colin Dodds, President of Saint Mary's was interviewed on CBC Radio's *Information Morning* about his plans for Saint Mary's.

Dr. Margaret Harry and **Dr. Lilian Folk**, English, were interviewed on *Information Morning* about the different dialects of English that are used in Nova Scotia. Their discussion was based on the book that they edited entitled *The English Language in Nova Scotia*.

David Lane, Astronomy, was interviewed by *The Regina Leader-Post* on the subject of how often Friday the 13th occurs on the same day as a full moon.

Peter March, Philosophy, was interviewed on *Maritimes Today* about how good deeds can affect your life and the lives of others.

Joe Murphy, Irish Studies, was interviewed by a production team from BBC Radio nan Gaidheal, Scotland, for a feature interview. He was interviewed about the history of Halifax and then participated in a panel about the state of Gaelic in the province. BBC Scotland also interviewed Murphy about recent meetings with faculty members of Saint Mary's Irish Studies and Brian Wilson, the Minister of State for the Scotland Office in the UK parliament and representatives of the Trade Office at the British High Commission. During the meetings, possibilities for students or faculty from Saint Mary's participating in exchanges and other programs were discussed.

Blake Nill was interviewed on the ATV Evening News about the CIAU's decision to allow universities to offer incoming athletes scholarships for their participation in athletics. He was also interviewed in a *Herald* story about the Huskies being ranked number one in the CIAU football poll.

Dr. Leonard Preyra, Political Science, was interviewed by ATV for stories about Stockwell Day and the Canadian Alliance, the Halifax municipal election and early speculation about a fall federal election. He was interviewed on *First Edition* about the first year of the Hamm government.

Sharon Rajaraman, field hockey coach, was interviewed by *The Daily News* about the successes and hopes of Saint Mary's field hockey team.

Dr. Thomas Rand, Biology, was interviewed by CBC television and radio in New Brunswick including Fredericton's *Information Morning* about the detrimental effects of mold that was found in a Perth Andover middle school.

Trevor Stienburg, men's hockey coach, was interviewed by *The Daily News* about the announcement that he will be the head coach of Team Canada's entry in the World University Games in Poland, February 2001.

Dr. Doug Strongman, program coordinator of the forensic-science diploma program, was interviewed by *The Chronicle Herald* and *The Daily News* about the new program.

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Three Exceptional Women Receive Honorary Degrees from Saint Mary's

Doctors Without Borders physician, Dr. Ann Elizabeth Duggan, Chief Justice of Nova Scotia Court of Appeal, the Honourable Constance R. Glube and Middle East peace negotiator Hanan Mikhail-Ashrawi received Honorary Doctorates at Saint Mary's Fall Convocation on October 22.



DR. ANN ELIZABETH DUGGAN

Dr. Ann Elizabeth Duggan is the only Atlantic Canadian who has completed multiple missions with the Medecins San Frontieres (MSF) or Doctors Without Borders. The organization received the 1999 Nobel Peace Prize. Dr. Duggan was conferred the degree of Doctor of Science, honoris causa by Saint Mary's University.

Dr. Duggan was born and raised in Newfoundland, and spent the last two years working in Halifax at the Northend Community Health Centre. She has a Bachelor of Science degree in Biology from the University of Ottawa and a M.D. from the Faculty of Medicine at Queen's University, Kingston, Ontario. She completed her family practice residency at Memorial University in St. John's, Newfoundland. Five years ago, she was awarded a Diploma in Tropical Medicine and Hygiene from the Liverpool School of Tropical Medicine in England.

Dr. Duggan has worked on almost 20 MSF missions over the last decade. Her work has taken her to

dozens of countries in turmoil and often placed her in very difficult and dangerous situations. For instance, she has worked as the medical coordinator on a number of occasions in Sierra Leone, Africa, she undertook a health needs assessments in El Salvador during Hurricane Mitch and Jakarta, Indonesia during the 1998 riots. Last year she traveled to Macedonia and North Sudan. Her work in Canada has focused on Family Practice in rural/isolated areas including the Northwest Territories and Nunavut. She recently began a program of study at the Harvard School of Public Health, which leads to a Master of Public Health degree.



THE HONOURABLE CONSTANCE R. GLUBE

The Honourable Constance R. Glube, Chief Justice of Nova Scotia Court of Appeal, has pioneered the role of women in the Canadian judiciary. Glube was conferred a Doctor of Laws honoris causa by Saint Mary's University.

Born in Ottawa, Her Honour received a Bachelor of Arts degree from McGill University and a Bachelor of Laws degree from Dalhousie University. In 1956, she was admitted to the Nova Scotia Bar. Throughout her career, she has received a number of honours and recognitions. She holds two honorary degrees, a LL.D. from Dalhousie Law School (1983) and a L.H.D. from Mount Saint Vincent University. Three years ago, she received the Francis Fish Award, Women Lawyers Achievement.

Her Honour has been a Barrister and Solicitor with the law firm of Kitz Matheson, and partner in the law firm of Fitzgerald and Glube. She has served as Solicitor in the Legal Department of the then City of Halifax, and became the first woman in Canada to hold the position as City Manager for Halifax. In 1977, she was appointed Puisne Judge of

the Supreme Court of Nova Scotia (formerly trial division) and ex-officio member of the Nova Scotia Court of Appeal making her the first woman on the Supreme Court of Nova Scotia. In November 1982, she was appointed Chief Justice, Supreme Court of Nova Scotia making her the first female Chief Justice in Canada. In 1998, she was appointed the Chief Justice, Nova Scotia Court of Appeal. She was the first woman on a federally appointed court in Nova Scotia and the 15th woman as a federally appointed judge in Canada when she went to the Supreme Court of Nova Scotia in 1977.

She has served on a large number of Boards and Advisory Committees over the years. Today she serves as a member of the Canadian Judicial Council, Judicial Education Committee, and National Judicial Institute.

HANAN MIKHAIL-ASHRAWI

Hanan Mikhail-Ashrawi is an academic and human rights activist who has dedicated her life to the international cause of peace. She was conferred a Doctor of Civil Law, honoris causa in absentia at the fall convocation ceremony by Saint Mary's.

Last year, Dr. Ashrawi was named one of the 100 Personalities of the Century and one of the top 50 Women of the Century. From 1996 to August 1998, she served as Minister of Higher Education and Research while becoming the elected Head of the Political Committee/PLC. She has been an elected member of the Palestinian Legislative Council - Jerusalem District. Since August 1998, she founded and has served as the Secretary General of The Palestinian Initiative for the

Promotion of Global Dialogue & Democracy - MIFTAH.

Dr. Ashrawi was born in Nablou, Palestine. She received a Bachelor of Arts degree and a Master of Arts in English from the American University of Beirut. She received her Ph.D. in English from the University of Virginia in Charlottesville. In 1993, she received a Doctor of Humane Letters from The Virginia Theological Seminary and a Doctor of Laws degree from Bath University, England. Last year, Dr. Ashrawi received a Doctors of Humane Letters from both Smith and Earlham Colleges; and a Doctorim Universitatis (honoris causa) from Vrije University of Brussels in 1997.

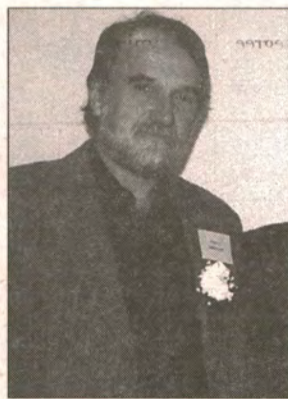
Since becoming a faculty member at Birzeit University in the early 1970s, Dr. Ashrawi created the Department of English and went on to serve as its chairperson. She is the founder of the Birzeit University Legal Aid Committee/Human Rights Action Project. Mikhail-Ashrawi has been the Dean of the Faculty of Arts at Birzeit University. Mikhail-Ashrawi has served on the Intifada Political Committee, and was the official spokesperson of the Palestinian Delegation to the Middle East Peace Process. She has an impressive list of publications, she was the first holder of the Marvin Weissberg Distinguished Chair in International Studies at Beloit College, and this year held the Leo Goodwin, Sr. Professor of Law, Nova Southeastern University Law Centre. She has also earned a significant number of distinguished service awards, including The Jane Addams International Women's Leadership Award. ♦



The President's Award for Excellence in Research

Dr. Henry Veltmeyer recipient of the President's Award for Excellence in Research, is widely known as a scholar of significant interdisciplinary scope and international reputation.

Dr. Veltmeyer has a Diploma in Fine Arts - Painting from the Royal Melbourne Institute of Technology. He received his degree in Arts at Universidad Católica de Guayaquil, and earned two Master of Arts degrees from the University of Alabama. He earned his Doctorate of Philosophy degree in Political Science from McMaster University in 1976. He has authored and edited numerous books as well as dozens of articles and book chapters. His research awards totals \$1,574,890.00. These awards come from presti-



Dr. Henry Veltmeyer

gious research organization in Canada which include the Social Sciences & Humanities Research Council of Canada, University Senate Research Committee, Canadian International Development Agency (CIDA).

He joined the Department of Sociology at Saint Mary's University as an Assistant Professor, and in 1979 was promot-

ed to Associate Professor. He earned his Full Professorship in 1985, and became Chairperson of the Department of Sociology. He has also served as Coordinator of International Development Studies, and was an Adjunct Professor in the International Development Studies program at Dalhousie University. In the mid 1990s he was a visiting professor at Maestria en Ciencia Politica, Universidad Autónoma de Zacatecas. Dr. Veltmeyer was a major participant in the development of the graduate program in Atlantic Canada Studies as well as central in the founding and growth of the undergraduate and graduate programs in International Development Studies. ♦

Saint Mary's Sport Hall of Fame

The Saint Mary's Sport Hall of Fame and Heritage Centre welcomed its newest inductees Roy Clements, Kathy Mullane and Mickey Fox on October 14.

Roy Clements

Between 1957 and 1963 Roy Clements or "Coach" guided teams representing The Halifax Shipyards and Morse's Tea to the top of Nova Scotia senior soccer and led HMCS Stadacona to numerous Atlantic and Maritime Command championships. He was already a seasoned pioneer of the Maritime soccer scene when he began coaching at Saint Mary's in 1964. He molded his first team into

region champions in 1965 and 1966. During the next 20 years, Clements' involvement in soccer broadened as he initiated Junior Olympic soccer clinics and the Saint Mary's Annual Indoor Soccer Tournaments. He also helped organize the Canada Games.

On the soccer field, Clements' Huskies won three more league championships and two AUSA championships. In 1979, they were silver medalists and Eastern Canadian CIAU champions. He was recognized as the AUSA Coach of the Year in 1978 and again in 1981. The industrious and innovative native of Stoke-on-Trent, Staffordshire, England, who is credited with designing the single posted football upright, retired from full-time coaching at Saint Mary's in 1983.

For over 50 years, he has been a valued and enthusiastic administrator who has

played a major role in fostering the popularity, success and enormous growth of soccer in Nova Scotia. He has served as the president of Soccer Nova Scotia, managed the Armed Forces League, chaired the Atlantic Universities' Soccer Conference, was a Commissioner of the Halifax Metro Soccer League and has represented Nova Scotia as a delegate to the CSFA. Clements' commitment to Saint Mary's and the soccer community have not gone unnoticed. He has received a Gold M Award from the Saint Mary's Student Association twice. He has been honoured by Soccer Nova Scotia, the cities of Halifax and Dartmouth, the Nova Scotia Department of Culture, Recreation and Fitness, and Sport Nova Scotia. In 1983, he was the recipient of the AUSA Board of Directors Award for Contributions to University Soccer.

Kathy Mullane

Kathy Mullane, arrived at Saint Mary's a talented young Halifax athlete and combined education, opportunity and ambition to become one of the most respected builders of sport in this province. In 1966, after making her mark at St. Patrick's High School she enrolled at Dalhousie University. There she excelled in field hockey and basketball and earned a B.Sc. in physical education. As a high school coach and teacher, she led her team to metro and provincial championships.

In 1973, Mullane was

hired as the first female coach at Saint Mary's marking a new era of women's athletics. She was responsible for leading the women's basketball team and directing women's athletics. Under her direction, women's field hockey and basketball teams gained full status at the varsity level within a year. She then went on to lead them to four AUSA titles. Mullane was honoured with an Honorary Gold M in 1974 and 1996 AUSA Basketball Coach of the Year. She has developed programs in recreation and fitness for thousands at Saint Mary's. She's a valued coach in Halifax minor and Canada Games basketball and a respected official at the national level in field hockey. She has helped organize the Pan American Wheelchair Games and the Nova Scotia Special Olympics and received the Outstanding Volunteer Award in 1996. Her former players still regard her warmly as a loyal friend and an unwavering source of support.

Mickey Fox

The name Mickey Fox, is synonymous with basketball at Saint Mary's. Recruited from Forest Hills, New York, Fox's leadership and offensive ability sparked a collection of eager but inexperienced players to Saint Mary's first-ever national title, the 1972/73 CIAU Basketball Championship. He was honoured for his achievements with the Varsity Team when he was named Saint Mary's Athlete of the



The 2000 Saint Mary's Sport Hall of Fame inductees; (L-R) Roy Clements "Coach", Kathy Mullane and Mickey Fox.

Year in 1973. Between 1972 and 1976 he was chosen five times as an AUSA All-Star and four times as an All-Canadian. Fox coached the Saint Mary's Women's Basketball Team in 1976 and in 1992, he became the head coach of Halifax's first professional basketball team, the Windjammers.

Today, Fox is a dedicated educator at Rockingstone Heights Junior High. His success and broad experience

in basketball combined with his reputation as a professional athlete and individual make him a leader in the education of youth in this province. A popular motivational speaker, Fox addresses issues concerning drugs and alcohol before hundreds of students each year. Fox has helped develop local basketball talent and has been a valued contributor to the Halifax community for over 25 years. ♦

The following is an excerpt taken from Kevin Downey's tribute to Roy Clements at the Saint Mary's Sport Hall of Fame and Heritage Centre induction ceremony.

Coach Clements Alumni Players' Top 10 List of Coaching Tips:

10. Always appoint a captain who will run errands and get coffee for you.
9. Always sit at the front of the bus on road trips and pretend that you don't know what's happening at the back of the bus.
8. Always make your players feel privileged to wear the Huskies jersey - and make sure that they know what it means to beat Dal.
7. Always be in charge of ticket sales and event coordination so that the related jobs go to your deserving student athletes.
6. Make sure that "Ross Webb" type goal scorers choose SMU. Coach's finest recruiting project was Ross. He still holds a CIAU record for 37 goals in a season and 8 goals in a game.
5. Never make your players wear silly hats when they take the field for the AUSA final. (Many blame this for the '78 AUSA loss).
4. Always provide academic and social guidance. Particularly the social guidance on Friday afternoons.
3. Be able to tell a number of good old war stories that are much more interesting than History 201 all within the smoky confines of a 6' x 6' office - standing room only.
2. If you're the #1 ranked team in the country and you miss a month for serious health reasons. ('78) appoint a Bob Hayes type interim coach. The pep talks will guarantee a win but you know they won't be interested in taking your job from you.
1. Be like Coach Clements and you will attract winners both



Bob Hayes, former Saint Mary's Athletic Director, unveils the portrait of Kathy Mullane (left) that will hang in the Saint Mary's Sport Hall of Fame.

Varsity Notes

Saint Mary's Teams Rank in the CIAU Top Ten

Saint Mary's University's varsity teams are embarking on the 2000-2001 season with the highest Canadian Inter-University Athletic Union (CIAU) rankings in recent memory. The Huskies football team is 1st in Canada, and the men's soccer is ranked 3rd overall. The men's basketball team is 6th, and women's field hockey ranks 8th overall.

"Our coaches have done a great job of recruiting and developing the best available student athletes both locally and nationally," says Larry Uteck, Athletics Director at Saint Mary's. "The coaches, athletics department staff, volun-

teers, staff from the Development Office, and many others have done an exceptional job of fundraising in various venues to finally make us competitive with the rest of the AUS and the CIAU."

Huskies Live on the Web

While hundreds of fans poured into Huskies Stadium Saturday, October 14 to see the Saint Mary's Huskies play the Saint Francis Xavier X-Men, Huskies fans from around the world watched the game on the World Wide Web. Fans clicked on to www.eastlink.ca to see live footage of the game. Saint Mary's is the first university to broadcast a football game live on the Web. ♦

SPORTS

Wrap-Up



Women's Hockey Team – Keeping Their Eyes on the Prize



Saint Mary's Women's Hockey Team.

by Lisa Legatto

Saint Mary's women's hockey team has started the season with confidence and high expectations. Coach Lisa MacDonald says, "We want to win the AUS Championship and get back to the CIAU's. If we attain this goal, we want to be the first AUS representative to win a game at the CIAU Championship Tournament."

MacDonald has set her sights on the Canadian Inter-Athletic Union (CIAU) after years of grooming the program. During her first year as coach of the hockey team, then a club sport, the CIAU announced that it was holding its first varsity women's hockey championship. In December of 1997, Atlantic University Sport (AUS) (formerly the AUAA) agreed to hold a championship tournament, the winner would be the representative at the CIAU championship. The team may have been officially considered a varsity sport after participating in the AUAA championship but MacDonald says, "There was no recruiting, no budget, and very little ice time available." Saint Mary's won the championship in double-overtime against Acadia making them the first-ever AUAA women's ice hockey champions and eventually a funded varsity sport.

Tasha Noble is one of two remaining players who were part of that championship

team. She has been an assistant team captain every year since. MacDonald says, "She realizes the role she is expected to assume on the team, being our leading goal-scorer each season, and has always flourished under such responsibility." Noble grew up playing hockey with boys' leagues in Ontario. "I was always one of two girls on the team. I've always heard, "You're a girl. You better be good," she says. "It made me want to play better." Last year, Noble was named Saint Mary's female athlete of the year and the women's hockey team's most valuable player. It was an honour that she says was unexpected. "I can't believe that I was athlete of the year with all of the talented athletes in our school." According to MacDonald, she was deserving of the double honour. "She is a winner, always pulling through for her team in the clutch. Every successful team must have a player like Tasha Noble."

Shannon Eisnor, is a seasoned rookie goalie who transferred this year from the University of Regina. MacDonald says, "Already, she appears to be ready for whatever challenges we throw her way. Her performance in our exhibition game against Dalhousie was very solid as she stopped all nine shots she faced, two of which were break-aways."

Eisnor is impressed with how well practices are going. "My goal is to be at my peak, where I have to be."

This season, MacDonald is working with two new coaching staff members including Paula Dares who will join her as a member of the 2003 Canada Games female coaching staff. Mike McKenna is an experienced fast-pitch coach and life long hockey player who impressed MacDonald this summer with his coaching skills this season at the Canadian Fast-Pitch Championships. ♦



Dr. J. Colin Dodds dropped the puck at the Homecoming hockey game between the Huskies and St. F.X. Dr. Dodds was joined by Saint Mary's hockey coach, Trevor Stienburg.

Stienburg to Coach Team Canada

by Paul Fitzgerald

The Atlantic University Sport Men's Hockey announced that Trevor Stienburg, head coach of the Huskies Hockey Team will coach Team Canada in the World University Games, a competition that is held every two years. The World University Games will be held February 7 to 17, 2001 in Zakopane, Poland. For the first time ever, Atlantic University Sport will be the sole supplier of players, coaches and support staff for the Team Canada hockey entry.

"As a coach, this is a very unique opportunity and I am honoured to be selected to lead Team Canada in our quest to bring the Gold Medal back to Canada," says Stienburg. In 1999, Canada won a Silver Medal in Slo-

season at Saint Mary's and has been the driving force behind a dramatic improvement in the team's performance. Last year, Saint Mary's finished first in the Kelly Division and was first over-all in the conference.

"There are eight great coaches in our league and it is a privilege to be chosen."

Stienburg is entering his 4th

For the second consecutive year, Stienburg was selected as the AUAA Coach of the Year and for the first time in CIAU hockey history, he was also selected for the second consecutive year as the CIAU Coach of the Year. Originally from Moscow, Ontario, Stienburg played 8 years of professional hockey in the AHL and NHL. ♦

2000/2001 Basketball Schedules

2000/2001 Men's Basketball

Sat Nov. 11	SMU @ MUN	8:00 p.m.
Sun. Nov. 12	SMU @ MUN	4:00 p.m.
Fri. Nov. 17	SMU @ ACA	8:00 p.m.
Wed. Nov. 22	DAL @ SMU	8:00 p.m.
Sat Nov. 25	SMU @ UNB	8:00 p.m.
Sat. Dec. 2	UNB @ SMU @ Metro Centre	6:00 p.m.
Fri. Jan. 5, 6, 7 Rod Shoveller Tournament (x)		
Wed. Jan.10	ACA @ SMU	8:00 p.m.
Sat Jan. 13	SMU @ SFX	8:00 p.m.
Fri. Jan.19	DAL @ SMU	3:00 p.m.
Tugs. Jan.23	ACA @ SMU	8:00 p.m.
Sat Jan. 27	SMU @ PEI	6:00 p.m.
Fri. Feb. 2	SFX @ SMU	8:00 p.m.
Sun. Feb. 4	UCCB @ SMU	4:00 p.m.
Sat. Feb. 10	MUN @ SMO	8:00 p.m.
Sun. Feb.11	MUN @ SMO	3:00 p.m.
Wed. Feb. 14	SMU @ ACA	8:00 p.m.
Fri. Feb. 16	SMU @ DAL	8:00 p.m.
Fri. Feb. 23	UPEI @ SMU	8:00 p.m.
Sun. Feb. 25	SMU @ UCCB	3:00 p.m.
Sun. March 4	SMU @ DAL	4:00 p.m.
March 9-11	Men's AUS Championships @ Metro Centre	
March 16- 18	Men's CIAU Final 8 @ Metro Centre	

2000/2001 Women's Basketball

Sat. Nov. 11	SMU @ MUN	6:00 p.m.
Sun. Nov. 12	SMU @ MUN	2:00 p.m.
Fri. Nov. 17	SMU @ACA	6:00 p.m.
Wed. Nov.22	DAL @ SMU	6:00 p.m.
Sat Nov. 25	SMU @ UNB	6:00 p.m.
Sat Dec. 2	UNB @ SMO	3:00 p.m.
Dec. 29, 30, 31	Aquafina Tournament @SMU (X)	
Sun. Jan. 7	SMU @ DAL	7:00 p.m.
Wed. Jan.10	ACA @ SMO	6:00 p.m.
Sat Jan. 13	SMU @ SFX	6:00 p.m.
Fri. Jan.19	DAL @ SMU	6:130 p.m.
Tues. Jan.23	ACA @ SMU	6:00 p.m.
Sat Jan. 27	SMU @ PEI	4:00 p.m.
Fri. Feb. 2	SFX @ SMU	6:00 p.m.
Sun. Feb. 4	UCCB @ SMU	2:00 p.m.
Sat. Feb.10	MUN @ SMU	6:00 p.m.
Sun. Feb. 11	MUN @ SMU	1:00 p.m.
Wed. Feb. 14	SMU @ ACA	6:00 p.m.
Fri. Feb.16	SMU @ DAL	6:00 p.m.
Fri. Feb.23	UPEI @ SMU	600 p.m.
Sun. Feb. 25	SMUG UCCB	1:00p.m.
March 2-5	Women's AUS Championships @ Dalhousie	
March 9-11	Women's CIAU Championships @ Alberta	

Around Campus

President's Neighbourhood Barbecue



Dr. J. Colin Dodds, President of Saint Mary's and Mrs. Dodds hosted the 16th Annual President's Neighbourhood Barbecue, September 24th. Dr. Dodds is pictured with Mary Walsh, Saint Mary's neighbour and member of the ensemble cast of *This Hour Has 22 Minutes*.

Math Huskies



The Math Huskies, APICS winners, (L-R) Blair Doyle, Frank Berghaus with Eric Boudreau are pictured with Dr. Robert Dawson, Mathematics.

The Math Huskies were in an exciting 3-way tie for first place in the Atlantic Provinces Interuniversity Council on the Sciences (APICS) Math Problem Solving contest, written October 20. The winning team, consisting of Saint Mary's students Frank Berghaus and Eric Boudreau scored 37 points out of a theoretically possible 80,

to tie with two teams from Mount Allison and to beat 16 other teams from Atlantic area universities. Saint Mary's student, Blair Doyle played with a team consisting of students from different universities. This is the second time that Saint Mary's has had a first place team in this contest, the first was in 1996.

Millennium Round Table on Trade Investment Issues



A symposium on trade investment issues was held at Saint Mary's University September 29. Leading international academics presented papers on the significance of the World Trade Organization in the

International Political Economy. Faculty, students, business representatives, government officials and politicians were in attendance.



Saint Mary's Homecoming Weekend - October 13-16.



The alumni men's basketball team hit the courts for a homecoming game.



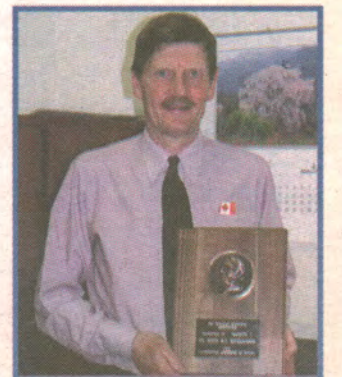
"Golden Grad Luncheon" honouring the class of 1950. (L-R) Ed Murphy, Shirley Murphy, Roger LeFrank, Jack Hallisey, Dennis Biggs, Theresa Driscoll, and Al Driscoll.

Saint Mary's Welcomes New Science Faculty



(L-R) Dr. Norma Liney, Math and Computing Science, Dr. Steven Smith, Psychology, Dr. Francine Marleau, Astronomy and Physics, Dr. Don Fox, Geology and Dr. Adam Sarty, Astronomy and Physics recently joined Saint Mary's Faculty of Science.

Lawson Medal



Dr. David Richardson, Dean of Science, was presented with the Lawson Medal by the Canadian Botanical Association and the Canadian Society of Plant Physiologists at their joint meeting held at the University of Western Ontario in June. The medal is named after George Lawson, born in 1827, often called the father of Canadian botany.